



## Great Basin Coordination Center

# Evening Brief

Date/Time Stamp: **Thursday, August 06, 2015 - 8:11 PM**

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## Weather Summary

A relatively cool and sunny day is expected across the north today in the wake of yesterday's cold front and storms. Across Nevada and western Utah temperature will be slightly warmer, but still cool for the time of year.

Another surge of moisture will make its way north through the Great Basin this afternoon through Sunday as a low tracks across the area from southern California. The storms will begin this afternoon/overnight across the southern Great Basin. Storms will move northward throughout the day on Friday for widespread showers and thunderstorms across Utah and Northern/Central Nevada. Storms will make it into southern Idaho overnight Friday and into Saturday. The bulk of the moisture across the north will be limited to central and eastern Idaho and western Wyoming. Western Idaho may not see heavy precipitation amounts.

Dry air will quickly spread into the southern Great Basin by late Sunday into Monday while some moisture will linger across the north for continued isolated thunderstorms over the mountains.

By Tuesday the ridge strengthens over the central Rockies for warming temperatures region-wide and a return of moisture to central and eastern Utah. Western Nevada and western Idaho will likely stay on the dry side through the work week.

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## Preparedness Levels

### Current:

Great Basin	2
National	4

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## Great Basin Fire Activity:

**New Fires and Acres: 12 / 9**

## Current Incident Details

### Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

fires occurred  
overnight

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Gray Cliff	2015-UTUWF-000532	0.1	Controlled 08/06/15	40.4494	111.6743	No
Thompson	2015-IDPRI-000585	5.1	Not Contained	46.327	116.2792	No
NINEMILE	2015-IDBOF-000845	0.1	Not Contained	44.2364	115.6634	No
North Pump	2015-UTMFC-005213	0.1	Not Contained	39.4043	109.3181	No
FA 035 Gilson	2015-UTRID-005174	0.1	Not Contained	39.6334	112.2433	No
Maple Grove	2015-UTSCS-005173	0.1	Controlled 08/06/15	39.038	112.0406	
Water Canyon 10	2015-NVWID-020143	0.1	Controlled 08/06/15	40.9217	117.657	
Enos Lake	2015-IDPAF-000163	0.1	Contained 08/06/15	45.1	115.8631	No
Woodruff Creek	2015-UTBRS-000526	1	Not Contained	41.4929	111.2599	Yes - PPH
Strawberry River	2015-UTUWF-000523	0.1	Out 08/05/15	40.3304	111.2626	No
Plateau	2015-AZASD-000513	2	Not Contained	36.697	113.8413	No
Middle Canyon	2015-UTMOD-005212	0.1	Controlled 08/07/15	39.3927	109.3217	No

### Large Fire Summary:

Grape ID-BOF-000821 230 acres 50% contained. Minimal activity.

Blue Jay NV-ELD-040185 657 acres 75% contained. Minimal activity.

Solitude UT-FIF-005153 2175 acres 25% contained. Minimal activity.

High Meadow AZ-ASD-000406 1339 acres 55% contained. Minimal activity.

Mount Emma AZ-ASD-000229 4051 acres 50% contained. Minimal activity.

Farrow id-PAF-000076 580 acres 0% contained. Minimal activity.

### Resources:

GBCC resources remain adequate.

### Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

Fire Danger will be decreasing through the weekend as widespread showers and thunderstorms are expected across much of the area. Dry air returning to western portions of the region will increase fire danger once again next week.

For more detail, see [Great Basin 7-Day Fire Potential Outlook](#)

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)